

Docket No. 220110US2S



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Akira HOKAZONO

SERIAL NO: 10/083,163

GAU: 2826

FILED: February 27, 2002

EXAMINER: Dickey, T.L.

FOR: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE HAVING ACTIVE REGIONS CONNECTED TOGETHER BY
INTERCONNECT LAYER AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURE THEREOF

**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

It is hereby requested that a 2nd & 3rd months only extension of time be granted to March 4, 2004 for

- ☐ filing a response to the Official Action dated:
- ☐ responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:
- ☐ filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due has been timely filed.
- ☐ responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:
- ☒ filing an RCE. A timely response to the final rejection, due December 4, 2003 has been filed.
- ☐ filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown below is reduced by one-half.

The required fee of \$840.00 is enclosed herewith by credit card payment and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully Submitted,

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